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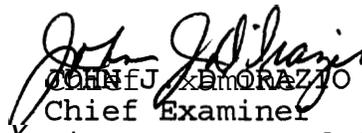
AFBCMR 97-03128

MEMORANDUM FOR THE CHIEF OF STAFF

Under the authority of Section 1552, Title 10, United States Code and Air Force Instruction 36-2603, and having assured compliance with the provisions of the above regulation, the decision of the Air Force Board for Correction of Military Records is announced, and it is directed that:

The pertinent military records of the Department of the Air Force relating to [REDACTED] be corrected to show that:

- a. The AF Form 964, PCS, TDY or Training Declination Statement, dated 10 June 1997, be, and hereby is, declared void and removed from his records.
- b. He was promoted to the grade of staff sergeant (E-5), effective and with a date of rank of 1 September 1997.
- c. On 23 October 1997, he was ordered permanent change of station (PCS) to his home of record (home of selection) pending further orders.
- d. On 24 October 1997, he reenlisted in the Regular Air Force for a period of 4 years.


JOHN J. HARRIS
Chief Examiner

Air Force Board for Correction
of Military Records



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MEMORANDUM OF CONSIDERATION OF APPLICATION BEFORE THE AFBCMR

SUBJECT: [REDACTED]

Having carefully reviewed this application, we agree with the recommendation of the Air Force office of primary responsibility and adopt the rationale expressed as the basis for our decision that the applicant has been the victim of either an error or an injustice. Therefore, under the authority delegated in AFI 36-2603, the applicant's records will be corrected as set forth in the accompanying Memorandum for the Chief of Staff signed by the Executive Director of the Board or his designee.

Martha Maxwell
Panel Chair

Attachments:

1. Ltr, AFPC/DPAPP1, dtd Jun 15, 1998, w/Atchs
2. Ltr, AFPC/DPPPWB, dtd Jun 22, 1998
3. Ltr, AFPC/DPPRS, dtd Jul 16, 1998

15 June 1998

MEMORANDUM FOR AFBCMR

FROM: HQ AFPC/DPAPP1
550 C Street West, Ste 32
Randolph AFB TX 78150-4734

SUBJECT: Application for Correction of Military Records (DE [REDACTED])
[REDACTED]

Requested Action: The applicant is requesting the AF Form 964 (PCS, TDY or Training Declination Statement) removed from his personnel record.

Basis for Request: Personnel at the MPF at [REDACTED] erroneously completed a AF Form 964 for [REDACTED] and updated data which indicated he refused to get reatinability for a PCS to the CONUS.

Background: See attached case. Note: This advisory only applies to the portion of the BCMR that request the removal of the AF Form 964.

Facts: The AF Form 964 signed on 10 June 1997 by the Superintendent of Personnel [REDACTED] at [REDACTED] in r. [REDACTED] was high [REDACTED] enure (HYT) restricted therefore, he was ineligible to extend to meet the retainability requirements for a PCS. Table 3, Note 5 and Paragraph 4.3.3.1, AFI 36-21 10 (Assignments) advises MPFs not to require personnel to sign an AF Form 964 when their HYT restricts them of obtaining retainability for a PCS move.

Recommendation: Remove AF Form 964 from applicant's personnel record..

/S/
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Directorate of Assignments

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22 JUN 1998

MEMORANDUM FOR AFBCMR

FROM: HQ AFPC/DPPPWB
550 C Street West, Ste 09
Randolph AFB TX 78150-4711

SUBJECT: Application for Correction of Military Records [REDACTED]

Requested Action. The applicant is requesting the AF Form 964 (PCS, TDY, or Training Declination Statement) be removed from his Personnel Record, promotion to **SSgt** effective 1 Sep 97, and retraining into the Accounting and Finance career field with assignment to [REDACTED] or [REDACTED]. We will address the issue concerning promotion to **SSgt**.

Reason for Request. The applicant states personnel at the Military Personnel Flight (MPF) at [REDACTED] erroneously completed an AF Form 964 and updated this data which indicated he refused to get retainability for a PCS to the CONUS. This action rendered the applicant ineligible for both promotion and reenlistment.

Facts. A career airman who declines to extend or reenlist to obtain service retainability for a controlled duty assignment, PCS, TDY, or retraining, is automatically ineligible for promotion in accordance with AFI 36-2502, Table 1.1, Rule F (copy attached). An AF Form 964 was accomplished on the applicant on 10 Jun 97 which identified him as ineligible for promotion consideration to **SSgt**. AFPC/DPAPP1 Memorandum, 15 Jun 98, states AF Form 964 was erroneous and should not have been completed. On 13 Aug 97, the applicant's servicing MPF at [REDACTED] requested the Enlisted Promotion and Military Testing Branch at AFPC consider the member for promotion to **SSgt** as the ineligible for promotion condition, as a result of the AF Form 964, was erroneous. His promotion record was again activated as a result of this request and he was selected for **SSgt** supplementally on 5 Sep 97 with Promotion Sequence Number (PSN) 00588.9 which was effective 1 Sep 97. The applicant was honorably discharged on 23 Oct 97 upon completion of required active service.

Discussion. There appears to be much confusion and miscommunication concerning the applicant's grade. Again, he was selected for promotion to **SSgt** supplementally on 5 Sep 97 based on a request from his servicing MPF. He received a Promotion Sequence Number (PSN) that was effective 1 Sep 97. His losing MPF [REDACTED] was advised of his selection through the Personnel Data System (PDS). The applicant's Weighted Airman Promotion (WAPS) Score Notice was produced 10 Sep 97 at [REDACTED]. The score notice does not reflect [REDACTED] as the projected assignment which would indicate the [REDACTED] was not notified of his selection through the PDS. The applicant states he departed [REDACTED] on 4 Sep 97 and arrived at [REDACTED] on 5 Sep 97 for separation processing. He also states that he was

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informed by [REDACTED] personnel on 10 Sep 97, based on a message from [REDACTED], that he was selected for promotion to **SSgt**. Further, he states that he visited the Air Force Personnel Center (AFPC) on 12 Sep 97 where he was "promoted" to **SSgt** in an impromptu ceremony. We are unaware of any such ceremony. The applicant's separation order reflects his grade as SrA (E-4) while his DD Form 214, Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty, shows **his** grade as SSgt (E-5). We have contacted [REDACTED] personnel to determine if promotion orders were published prior to his separation and to clarify what information was given to member regarding his promotion and "mandatory" separation. There is no record of a promotion order being published nor anyone who was familiar with the situation at the time. We have verified his promotion selectee data from his Unit Personnel Record Group (UPRG) and see no reason why he would not have been recommended for promotion.

Recommendation. Recommend the applicant's record be corrected to reflect that he was promoted to staff sergeant effective and with DOR of 1 Sep 97.



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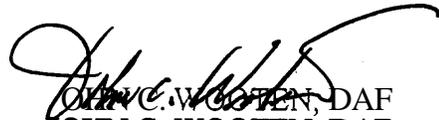
MEMORANDUM FOR AFBCMR

FROM: HQ AFPC/DPPRS
550 C Street West Ste 11
Randolph AFB TX 78150-4713

SUBJECT: Application for Correction of Military Records - [REDACTED]

Requested Action. The applicant is requesting the AF Form 964 (Declination Statement) be removed from his record, be promoted to grade of **SSgt** and allowed to return to active duty.

Recommendation. Approval. The Office of Primary Responsibility (OPR) for the AF Form 964 has determined that the AF Form 964 was completed in error, we therefore, recommend AFBCMR direct that applicant's records be corrected to indicated that he was not released from active duty and discharged on 23 Oct 97. Applicant has submitted a timely request.



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